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The Xi Psi Cry

The newsletter of Xi Psi chapter of Alpha Phi
Omega

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Officer Reports

Fellowship

Hello, my good fellows. I'm feeling a bit saucy this semester. Christy Elmore is my chairman and we have great things in store for you. If you are interested in being one of us, we're looking for a few great cats.

Coming up:

Camping trip, Halloween party, and a possible Chattanooga Aquarium road trip.

C-ya

Kristi Krawchuk
Fellowship Vice-President

Treasurer

Hey Xi Psi Members!

As you know, I will be the "bad guy" in Xi Psi this semester. I'm the one who takes your hard-earned money! Really guys, if it wasn't for dues being paid, we wouldn't be here!! If we continue at the rate we are now, we'll have a fun-filled semester! I am really looking forward to the semester and to getting to know some of you better. Have a terrific Fall '92!

Amy Chavolla
Treasurer

Public Relations

Hi everyone!

It has been great to be back and to see everyone! I hope everyone has a great semester.

First, I want to ask that everyone please bear with me until I get this newsletter thing down. I have a limited computer access and no access to the computer my predecessor used. (Not all of us can work in a computer lab).

Also, if you have any suggestions or would like to assist me, please tell me! I welcome your input. I want this newsletter to be what you want it to be, not something I come up with after I've had entirely too much caffeine!

If you have anything you would like to put in the newsletter, please tell me. It may be an announcement, such as "I'm having a party!", someone may have won an award, or it may be a thought, or some writing you did. Please share your thoughts, feelings. This may be one way we can get to know each other a little better.

Well, I guess I better wrap it up. I know you don't want this newsletter to be me blabbing all of the time!

Leslie Flynn
Public Relations Director

President

APOers,

Welcome back to a brand new semester of service! There is a lot planned and a good deal to do. I hope you all take part in making this the best semester yet. I hope to carry out my office the best I can, and I ask for your suggestions and support.

Thank you and good afternoon,

David Serafini
President

Keeper of the Brotherhood

Help! I've fallen and I can't get up!
If you would like to actively participate in working together to make this the best year of A-Phi-O, then tell me about it!

Tim Atterbury
Keeper of the Brotherhood

Membership

Hey Actives,

It is good to be back. I hope everyone has had an excellent summer. Rush is getting under way, now, and I appreciate all of you who have already helped. I am asking you to please try to make it to as many rush activities as possible. Those who make it to everything will receive rush boxer shorts!!!!!!

Thanks!!!!

P.S. Remember, a cut dog has no pups.

J.D. Tanner
Membership Vice-President

Rush Schedule

Tuesday, September 8

Mixer, Garrett 100, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, September 9

*Park Clean-up, Cookout, 3:30
p.m.*

Lampkin Park

Scavenger Hunt, 7 p.m. DUC

Thursday, September 10

*Rocky Horror Picture
Show,
7 p.m., Garrett 100*

Friday, September 11

*Smoker, 6 p.m., New Coed
Hall*

*Waynes World, 9 p.m.
DUC*

Saturday, September 12

*Tailgating, 2 p.m., South
Lawn*

Fall Rush 1992

Just Do It!!!!!!!!!!

It is going to be great!!!!!!!!!!

Happy Birthday

Leslie Flynn Sept. 13 (19)
Kim Crain Sept. 18 (22)
Angela Goodman Sept. 19 (21)
Mark Wyatt Sept. 24 (21)
Sam Sharbutt Sept. 29 (21)

Congratulations!!

Congratulations are in order for our former Public Relations Director Kenneth Brittan, who is getting married in October!

Quotes

"We act as though comfort and luxury were the chief requirements of life, when all that we need to make us happy is something to be enthusiastic about."

-Charles Kingsley

"Never give in. Never. Never. Never. Never."

-Winston Churchill

"I buy women shoes, and they use them to walk away from me."

-Mickey Rooney

How to behave in an elevator:

1. Face forward.
2. Fold hands in front.
3. Do not make eye contact.
4. Watch the numbers.
5. Don't talk to anyone you know.
6. Stop talking with anyone you do know when anyone you don't know enters the elevator.

7. Avoid brushing bodies.
-Layne Longfellow

What's sharper, a pen?

For your information..... Most of the service projects will not appear on this month's calendar. Christy Rogers has made a separate calendar for this month. So, don't ask me about it, ask her.

Coming in next month's Xi Psi Cry:

**** *The new pledges*

**** *The latest on all of the cool
fellowship activities*

**** *Your thoughts, comments,
remarks on numerous things*

**** *And much, much more!!!*

Last, but not least....

Welcome back Leigh Carrico!

Welcome, Glenn Hart! Glenn comes to Xi Psi from the Alpha Gamma chapter of Alpha Phi Omega at Purdue.

We hope we can get to know you guys better as the semester continues!!!!!!

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Officer Reports

President

Over the course of the next three newsletters, my report will be more of an editorial than anything else. I'm going to be talking about our three Cardinal Principles. This week: Leadership. Leaders come in various forms. We often think of leaders as politicians (John Kennedy), military men (George Patton), or men with a vision (Martin Luther King, jr.). But it's more than this. One does not have to be in the White House, on the battlefield, or lead a movement to be a leader, and I think this is very evident in APO.

We have many opportunities to be a leader, from serving as an officer, heading up a committee, being active-in-charge, etc.

It was the goal of Frank Reed Horton to have APO being a proving ground for the leaders of tomorrow to make our world a better place.

To quote Walt Lippman: "The final test of a leader is that he leaves behind him in other men conviction and the wil to carry on." And this is exactly what we in APO are doing. Next week: Friendship

Thank you and good afternoon,

Dave Serafini
President

Keeper of the Brotherhood

To the pledges:

We realize we have not answered all of your questions. And in most cases our answers have only served to produce new questions for which we have no answers, leaving us as confused as before. However, we believe we are now confused on a much higher level and about much more important things than before

-Anonymous

Tim Atterberry
Keeper of the Brotherhood

Public Relations

Hi Everyone!

I don't really have much to report this time. Basically, I just want to congratulate our new pledge class!! They are an outstanding group of people. Also, congratulations to J.D. Tanner and his faithful helpers for creating a really exciting RUSH!!!!!!

Take care !

Leslie Flynn
Public Relations Director

Happy Birthday

Dennis Jenkins
Mary Beth Wells
Barry Sanders
Amy Chavolla

Oct. 3
Oct. 6
Oct. 7
Oct. 9

Quotes

"Only two things are infinite, the universe and human stupidity, and I'm not sure about the former."

Albert Einstein

"Advice is what we ask for when we already know the answer but wish we didn't."

Erica Jong

"A cardinal rule of politics-never get caught in bed with a live man or a dead woman."

J.R. Ewing

"People are always blaming their circumstances for what they are. I don't believe in circumstances. The people who get on in this world are the people who get up and look for the circumstances they want, and, if they can't find them, make them."

George Bernard Shaw

"Many persons have a wrong idea of what constitutes true happiness. It is not attained through self-gratification but through fidelity to a worthy purpose."

Helen Keller

"Never keep up with the Joneses. Drag them down to your level. It's cheaper."

Quentin Crisp

Profiles

Actives

Name: Michelle Ary

Hometown: Huntsville, AL

Year: Junior

Major/Minor: Genetics and Chemistry

Birthdate: May 1972

Favorite Band/Musician: Tchaikovsky

Favorite Movie: Witness/Dead Again

Favorite T.V. Show: Star Trek N.G.

Favorite quote: "What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters when compared to what lies within us."

-Ralph Waldo Emerson

Name: Glenn Hart

Hometown: Woodburn, KY

Year: Sophomore

Major/Minor: Computer

Science/Physics, Math

Birthdate: July 14, 1971

Favorite Band/Musician: Beach Boys

Favorite Movie: Star War Trilogy

Favorite T.V. Show: Quantum

Leap/Star Trek

Favorite Quote: "Scooby Doo, where are you?" -Shaggy

Pledges

Name: Gregory S. Ledford

Hometown: Beaver Dam, KY

Year: Junior

Major/Minor: Nursing

Birthdate: May 4, 1968

Favorite Band/Musician: Kenny G.

Favorite Movie: Top Gun

Favorite T.V. Show: Batman

Favorite Quote: If a man is worth knowing, he is worth knowing well

Profiles (continued)

Name: Jennifer Yankee
Hometown: Westmoreland, Tenn.
Year: Junior
Major/Minor: Pre-pharmacy
Birthdate: September 28, 1972
Favorite Band/Musician: Don Henley
Favorite Movie: Dances With Wolves

Fellowship Activities:

October 2&3: Retreat at Shannon's Meet at DUC at 3:30 or at 5:30. Bring a tent, sleeping bag and one food item, please. Wear old clothes and plenty of them.

October 3: Riverfest. Meet at DUC at 5:00. We are going to Nashville!

October 8: Chattanooga road trip. It is \$8.50 or cheaper if we have enough people. We are going to see the new aquarium. Meet at DUC at 5 am.

October 13: Workout at Preston Center. Meet there at 5pm

October 17: Parent's Day. Tailgate 2:30. International foods, cookout. Bring one international or different kind of food.

October 20: Support Kristi for Homecoming Queen Elections!!!!!!!!

October 21: Polar Bash 7pm-1am. Bands. More TBA

October 23: Big Red's Roar. **Mandatory!!** Wear your letters and be ready to scream your head off!!!!

October 24: Homecoming!! Tailgate, South Lawn, under a tent. Cookout begins at 2pm

October 28: ~~Rollerskating. Meet at DUC 8:15~~

October 31: Halloween!!! Halloween parties galore. Place TBA. Be thinking of a great costume!

*******The week before Halloween we will be going to haunted houses in Nashville.**

Next month: Elvis and Thanksgiving Pot Luck Dinner!

Kristi Krawchuk
Fellowship Vice President

Good Luck during Homecoming, Kristi!!!

Show your spirit at Big Red's Roar!! Let's win again this year!!!

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Officer Reports

President

Continuing my three-part series on our Cardinal Principles, I'd like this time to talk about Friendship.

Friendship in A-Phi-O is not just about our fellowship program; it is instead about our fraternal brotherhood. In this fraternity, we need to work together to find common ground, find an end to conflict, find the means to advance our spirit. Brotherhood is what our fraternal concept is all about- otherwise we are no better than a club.

It is also through service that we build a spirit of fellowship and brotherhood- it is strength, which in turn builds our friendship.

I am proud to be a brother of Alpha Phi Omega, and our work advances our friendships day by day. I am glad that I have built friendships that will last a lifetime- and I am glad to call all of you my brothers.

Next time-SERVICE

Thank you and good afternoon,

David A. Serafini
President

Membership

Dear Pledges,

You guys are doing great. Keep up the good work. Please make sure you get your charts in your books and keep getting signatures.

To my membership committee, I would like

to express my thanks for your help. You all have been great. Keep up the good work.

I would also like to tell Kristi that she did a great job with homecoming.

Congratulations on being in the top ten.

Thanks,

J.D. Tanner
Membership Vice-President

Fellowship

I would like to congratulate everyone on a successful homecoming. Thank you for all of your hard work. The semester is almost over, please keep your enthusiasm for the last few activities.

November

Friday, Nov. 6- Midnight movie, meet at DUC, 11p.m.

Wed., Nov. 11,-Hot Wings at Reno's, 8:15 at Reno's

Sunday, Nov. 15- 99 cent movie after mtg.

Wed., Nov. 18- Workout Wed., meet at Preston Center, 8 p.m.

Mon., Nov. 23- Thanksgiving Potluck Dinner, 8:15, place TBA. Everyone bring a homemade dish. The fraternity will provide the turkey

Officer Reports (continued)

Friday, Dec. 4- Midnight Movie meet at DUC, 11p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 5- Christmas Dance, 7:30, TBA

Kristi Krawchuk
Fellowship
Vice -President

Homecoming 1992

Once again, Xi Psi enjoyed a wonderful Homecoming.

Our presence was known at Big Red's Roar!!! We won the spirit stick again this year!!! Let's keep that spirit!!!!

We are very proud of Kristi for being our Homecoming Queen Candidate!! What can we say, the Top Ten again this year!!!!

Oh, and J.D. you did a good job too!!

Happy Birthday

Steve Miller	November 18
Leslie Stover	November 10
John Marasi	November 14

Don't forget the Workshop on Friday, November 13!!!!
The time and place are TBA.
Tim Atterberry will have more details.
It's going to be **fun** and very educational!!!!!!!

Quotes

Everything I did in my life that was worthwhile I caught hell for.

Earl Warren

Don't go around saying the world owes you a living; the world owes you nothing; it was here first.

Mark Twain

Courage is doing what you're afraid to do. There can be no courage unless you're scared.

Eddie Rickenbacker

Use your weaknesses; aspire to strength.

Sir Laurence Olivier

I don't have anything against work. I just figure, why deprive somebody who really loves it?

Dobie Gillis

I used to work at The International House of Pancakes. It was a dream, and I made it happen.

Paula Poundstone

If you want to win anything-a race, your self, your life-you have to go a little berserk.

George Sheehan

A question you always wanted to know the answer to:

Ivory Soap advertises its product as 99 and 44/100 percent pure-99 and 44/100 percent what? And what is the impure 56/100 percent of Ivory soap?

Answer on next page

Procter & Gamble, in the late nineteenth century, sold many products made of fats, such as candles and lard oil, as well as soap. Ivory Soap was originally marketed as a laundry soap, but the company was smart enough to realize its product's potential as a cosmetic soap. The only problem was the most consumers were buying castile soaps (hard soaps made out of olive oil and sodium hydroxide) and considered laundry soap inappropriate for their personal grooming.

In order to convince consumers that its soap was wholesome, Procter & Gamble employed an independent scientific consultant in New York City to determine exactly what a pure soap was. The answer: a pure soap should consist of nothing but fatty acids and alkali; anything else was foreign and superfluous.

Samples of Ivory Soap were sent to the same chemist for analysis. Much to the manufacturer's surprise, Ivory, by the consultant's definition, was "purer" than the competing castile soaps-containing only 0.56 "impurities." The impurities, then, and now, were rather innocent:

Uncombined alkali 0.11 percent

Carbonates 0.28 percent

Mineral matter 0.17 percent

The first Ivory advertisement was placed in a religious weekly, *The Independent* on December 21, 1881. Procter & Gamble decided to emphasize the positive, and right away hammered at their product's advantages. Ivory Soap was trumpeted as "99 and 44/100 percent pure," a rare advertising slogan in that it has lasted longer than a century.

-Why Do Clocks Run Clockwise? and Other Imponderables by David Feldman

Be thinking.....

At the end of each semester, The Xi Psi Cry gives awards. These are silly awards that usually coincide with activities and incidents during the semester.

For example:

The "If I die before I wake" award to...
All the APOers who bravely ate suicide wings at Reno's

So, if you have any ideas let me know.
This can be fun, and yes, you get to make fun of people!!!!!!

Thanks,
Leslie Flynn
Public Relations
Director

***Have a Happy
Turkey Day!!!!***

**Don't forget to vote
on Tuesday,
November 3!!**

There aren't any classes that day, so you can't use "I had to go to class!!!!" as an excuse.

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Officer Reports

President

Concluding my three-part series on our cardinal principles, let's look at SERVICE. Say what you will, but service is what APO is all about, bar none. It is our reason for being. Each one of us has the inherent quality of service to others within us, hence our joining APO. But we must always remember that Service to others lasts a lifetime, not while we're in college. I hope you all remember this as it is so important.

Finally, I'd like to say a few "Thank-yous":

-to the officers on EC for your efforts this semester

-to the chapter for your hard work and support

-to Dr. Taylor and Dave Miller for joining us.

I wish all of you the best as finals back in soon. Have a safe and happy Holiday season.

Spring '93, Here We Come!

David Serafini

President

Membership

Hello once again,

Congratulations, Dave, on your second term in Presidency. I hope next semester is a very successful one.

Congratulations to the pledge class for now being active. I hope you have a thoroughly good time and enjoy your future semesters in APO.

P.S. To the beginning of the end when the end was here and the beginning has just begun.

-Work hard, play hard, die young.

J. D. Tanner

Membership Vice-President

Fellowship

Hello Alpha Phi Omega,

Hope you enjoyed the semester.

Have a great holiday. I won't be with you in person next semester, but I will in spirit.

Good Luck and if you need anything don't hesitate to call.

DECEMBER ACTIVITIES

Formal Dec.5 -Executive Inn, Owensboro, 7:30 p.m.

Banquet- Dec. 10-O'Charley's 8:15p.m.

Next Semester

Skiing Trip

Mardi Gras

Elvis

Valentine's Day Alumni Semi-Formal

My Birthday

Come back with lots of spirit. BYE

Kristi Krawchuk

Fellowship Vice-president

Officer Reports (continued)

Historian

Dear Brothers,

It has been a privilege to serve as your Historian this semester. While the semester is about over, the work on the scrapbook is just beginning.

Know that as you return home for the holidays, I will be slaving away to create a scrapbook of memories that we will all treasure for many years to come. In twenty-five years you may attend a Homecoming tea, sit down, flip through the scrapbook, and remember a special time in Alpha Phi Omega. That's what it's all about.

I know that as I return home in February, I will take with me many memories of fun, friends, and service from Alpha Phi Omega. I hope that as you graduate, you too will have similar happy memories to take with you.

Angela Goodman
Historian

Keeper of the Brotherhood

Merry Christmas, Alpha Phi Omega!

Through the many Christmas cards
I searched for Yuletide greetings;
Many words without a Christ...

A Christmas without meaning.
Too many times I tried to find
The perfect card to fit,
Even spending hours in search,
Rather than to quit.
But for you I tried to be different,
Extra-ordinary and kind.
Read down the left,
Right there you'll find,
Your Christmas card is signed!

Public Relations

Hi Everyone!

I just want to say that it has been a good semester and I have enjoyed being public relations director.

I hope everyone continues to work hard next semester and be dedicated to improving Alpha Phi Omega, the campus, and the community.

Also, I would like to congratulate my successor, Terrence Taylor. I know he will do a great job!

Leslie Flynn
Public Relations Director

Profiles

Actives:

Name: Erin Blankenship

Classification: Sophomore

Birthday: May 13, 1972

Hometown: Adolphus, KY

Major: Interior Design

Favorite Band: Boys II Men

Favorie T.V. Show: Home Improvement

Favorite Movie: Dances With Wolves

Favorite Quote: It's it and that's that/

Name: Douglas Todd Hunter

Classification: Junior

Birthday: December 9, 1971

Hometown: Hendersonville, TN

Major: Mass Comm

Favorite Band/Musician: Eric Clapton,
Beatles

Favorite T.V.Show: Star Trek-The Next
Generation

Favorite Movie: The Breakfast Club, Star
Wars Trilogy

Favorite Quote: I can't complain but
sometimes I still do

-Joe Walsh

Zoinks

-Shaggy

The horror, the horror

-Joseph Conrad

Profiles (continued)

Pledges:

Name: Terrence Taylor

Classification: Sophomore

Birthday: July 27, 1973

Hometown: Born in Fostoria, Ohio, Now living in Fort Knox, KY

Major: Broadcasting

Favorite Band: Salt -n- Pepa

Favorite T.V. Show: In Living Colour

Favorite Movie: The Lost Boys

Favorite Quote: Peace, love and hair grease
-Left Eye of TLC

Name: Nicole Kircher

Classification: Junior

Birthday: February 2, 1972

Hometown: Portland, TN

Major: Speech Pathology

Favorite Musician: Reba McIntyre

Favorite T. V. Show: Civil Wars

Favorite Movie: Prince of Tides

Happy Birthday!!!

Christy Rogers	December 2
Doug Hunter	December 9
J.D. Tanner	December 26
Tracy Grimes	December 4
Leigh Carrico	December 4
Tim Atterberry	December 5
Kelly Moran	December 21

Congratulations, new officers!!!

President: Dave Serafini

Service: Jeff Sizemore

Membership: Erin Blankenship

Historian: Laura Pullen

Alumni: Shanda West

Public Relations: Terrence Taylor

Secretary: Nicole Kircher

Treasurer: Dana Lynn

Keeper of the Brotherhood: John Marasi

Fellowship: Chris Miller

Merry Christmas Alpha Phi Omega!!

